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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Luncheon on Monday, 27 August, with

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1. This memorandum is for your information only.

2. I have asked [redacted] who formed the [redacted] to have lunch with us as a follow-up to our discussions [redacted]. Both men are very favorably inclined to the agency, and our [redacted] did a good job in assisting them and working with them on their mission. I think both officers are individuals with whom we should keep in close contact as we [redacted]

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3. As background, the [redacted] was worked out by diplomatic negotiations in 1955. [redacted] as the sponsoring agency and through [redacted] who is our man in that organization, [redacted]

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[redacted] in May 1956. It should be noted that their mission was not well received by the [redacted] and that they were subject to a fairly constant run-around in attempting to see the appropriate officials and get the information desired. Fortunately, [redacted] as a result of direct approaches on their own initiative they were able to develop considerable information. They will probably not say so, but it was my impression that the only real cooperation they received [redacted] was from our people. You will also be interested to know that while passing through [redacted] to the [redacted] and was given a most hospitable review of their activities for three days.

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4. Others attending the lunch will be Col. Edwards;

[redacted] of my staff; [redacted] Chief of Staff of WH Division; and [redacted] Chief of Special Security Section of WH Division.

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5. I have suggested that these individuals meet in my office so that you can join us when you are free, around 1 o'clock.

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cc: D/Security

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Inspector General